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Dear Harold -

I am enclosing a bunch of clippings on the Committee's doings and the Ray escape. I hope you will find some of them helpful.

Unfortunately, my work on my thesis came to a halt last April with my Mother's unexpected and very much unexplained death. It has only been within the past week that things here have settled down to a point where I can think about getting back to work on it. To help get me going again on my dissertation, I had planned to audit a course at Boston University on political assassination given by none other than Mark Lane. But, hours before the first class was to meet, he pulled out of the whole thing, and the university was forced to cancel the course. I thought that was rather poor of him. I noticed he's been getting a very bad press lately, and that you have been written about quite favorably - NYT., June 6. I located a copy of Graham Allison's book on the Cuban Missile Crisis and will send it to you if you are still interested in reading it.

sincerely,

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